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SUBJECT.

Allowance for the Resident medical Officer of the General Hospital, Mysore.

PREVIOUS REFERENCES.

Med 80-12(1-37).

LATER REFERENCES.

Subsidiary papers
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(Medical)

NOTES.

File No. 34-13.

FILE HEADING.

Increase of the Local allowance to the Resident Medical officer, General Hospital Rs 50 to Rs 100. per mensem

From

The Senior Surgeon

No. 315 Dated 2.2.14 Received 5.2.14

Diary No. 4438	Enclos. 1	Spare Copies.	Serial No. 1

BRIEF ABSTRACT OF LETTER.

In forwarding the recommendation of DS Col Hamilton for increase of the local allowance sanctioned to the Resident Medical officer GH Hospitals Rs 50 to 100 p.m., states the circumstances which led to the grant of an allowance of Rs 200/- to the Resident Medical officer Victoria Hospital Bangalore and States that his intention to propose only Rs 50 in the case future event to the Resident Medical officer Victoria Hospital.

NOTES AND ORDERS.

The file relating to this case put up with Diary No 37/2 see clothing to the Steward, an Assistant Surgeon & Civil Hospitals Submitted to Secretary 10.2.14

D. Govt in their order No 3072-3 dated 30.8.1913 Medl 30-12-3 regarding the revision of the establishment of the General Hospitals, Bg Sore, sanctioned certain items one of which was the grant of a local allowance of Rs 50/- to the Resident Medical officer General Hospital

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Hospital Bellary. The Darkar Surgeon who is in charge of the General Hospital requests reconsideration of the said Govt order and recommends that the allowance may be raised to Rs 100/- as originally proposed by him The Senior Surgeon in forwarding the Darkar Surgeons proposal says nothing direct about it but reports the circumstances which led to the grant of a local allowance of Rs 200/- to the Resident Medical officer of the Victoria Hospital Bangalore and states that in the event of Mr C.T. Ranjappa vacating the place of the Resident Medical officer Victoria Hospital it is his intention to recommend the posting of Junior Asst Surgeons to the place by turns and the reduction of the allowance from Rs 200/- to Rs 50/- p.m. From this it has perhaps to be presumed that the Senior Surgeon is not in favor of increasing the local allowance to Rs 100/- in the case of the Resident Medical officer General Hospital Bellary.

(2) The Senior Surgeon further adds that in the interests of the efficient working of the General Hospital Bellary it is necessary that the Resident Medical officer of the Hospital should be debarred from private practice which

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is the rule in force in the Victoria Hospital Bungalows. Very recently Govt have debarred the officer in charge of the Lunatic Asylum from private practice and the general question raised in that file about the desirability of preventing all medical officers directly in charge of or working in Hospitals and Dispensaries from taking up private practice is under consideration separately. This question also may perhaps be dealt with in that connection

(3) The point directly at issue in the file is the increase of local allowance to the Resident Medical officer General Hospital. May the receipt of the file sanctioning the local allowance at Rs 50/- Subd in another connection to the Secy on 12.2.14 be awaited.

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Re-Subd with med: file 80-12 Sls 1 to 3 B. Aug/13, which contains the G.O. Sanctg an allowee of Rs 50 per mensem to the Resident med officer of the General Hospl, Mysore.

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6 The local allowance of Rs 100/- was originally proposed, and after much discussion an allowance of Rs 50/- was settled upon

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7 Submitted for orders on this point and on the question of debarring the Resident med offr of the General Hospital from private practice

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1 H.P. & F. & Q.

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8 Please put up a copy of the G.O. in regard to private practice. — also the file, if any, containing the prohibition of private practice in the case of the R.M.O. Bangalore. Does the Mysore R.M.O. get no house-rent or has he no free-quarters? Early case.

He has free Quarters.
Hm

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By W
Letter-wise no Early Copy
pleased in the file?
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9. Re-Rcd with a printed copy of G.O no: 7332-72 med 89-06-5 dd 24.2.1910. There is no separate G.O. or order prohibiting the Resident med officer Victoria Hospl, Bangalore from taking up private practice. In his Secretariat note of 26.11.03 the late Sir B. N. Krishna murthy noted that the R.M. Officer of the Victoria Hospl should be prevented from having any private practice. It was on this consideration that an allowance of Rs 200 was attached to the office. In the rules issued with G.O. dd 24.2.10, the R.M.O of the Victoria Hospl is included among med officers prohibited from taking up private practice. Vide para 3(b)(i) of the rules.

See Sir A file 315-03 Sls 1 to 3.

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~~Quite recently, the R.M.O. [illegible]~~

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With reference to para 8.

The R. M. O. Mysore Genl Hospital has free quarters.

The R. M. O of the Victoria Hospital is debarred from private practice under ~~Clause~~ para 3 clause (4) (i) of the G. O. of 24-2-10.

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11 Attention is also invited to the Dewan's Secy's note to His Highness in Med File 315-of 03-04.

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(This has been taken down up with diary no 6500)

Ans 12/5

12 A local allowance of Rs 50 p. m. for an officer drawing the pay of Rs 250 per mensem does not appear to be inadequate when free quarters are also taken into account. The Senior Surgeon is against the proposed increase and the question of reducing the local allowance of Rs 200 attached to the post of the R. M. O of the Victoria Hospital should be taken into consideration separately, as the amount of the allowance seems excessive. If these views prove acceptable to the Second member, a suitable draft order will be suggested.

Second member 13.

Dewan's Secy's Note Ans 15/5

Ys. The question of debarring the R. M. O. Genl Hospital from private practice may be taken into consideration later on i.e when the new Hospital comes into existence. Nothing need be said about

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Wells

21/5 14. Draft

15. Draft Subtd. - If approved, pro-
Rdm 51 posals for reducing the
28.5.14 allowance payable to the
B.S. future
R. M. O., Victoria Hospital
may also be called for -

Please see para 3 of the P.W.D. Resn. Visit necessary as Dr Nunia appointed has to Continue as R. M-O.

16 Sec 4)
The draft order may be approved.

Second member

17 Draft approved by the 2nd member

29/5/14 18 Despatch

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2 To the Senior Surgeon. G.O No. 1241 & 11.6.14
States that Govt consider that an allowance of Rs 50 per mensem for the R. M. Officer of the Govt Hospl, Mysore is quite adequate, considering that the officer has also been provided with free quarters.

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No. G. 314
Encs.

Office of Senior Surgeon, Mysore Govt.,

Dated, Bangalore, 2/2/ 1914

From Rao Bahadur T.V.Arumugam Mudaliar Esq., M.B.C.M.,
~~P. S. Achyuta Rao, Esquire,~~
Senior Surgeon with the Government of
H. H. the Maharaja of Mysore, Bangalore.

To
K. R. Srinivasa Iyengar, Esq., M.A.,
Secretary to the Government of
H. H. the Maharaja of Mysore, Genl. and Rev. Deptts.,
Bangalore.

D 4438.

Sir,

In forwarding the enclosed letter dated 27-1-1914, addressed to Government by Lt. Col. Foulkes, recommending the increase from Rs.50/- to Rs.100/-, of the local allowance sanctioned to the Resident Medical Officer, General Hospital, Mysore, I have the honor to explain below the circumstances that led to the grant of the present allowance of Rs.200/- to the Resident Medical Officer of the Victoria Hospital.

2. On the opening of the Victoria Hospital, when the selection of a Resident Medical Officer had to be made for the first time, the choice fell on Mr. T.V.Arumugam, then Civil Surgeon of Shimoga, drawing a pay of Rs.500/- and a jail allowance of Rs.75/-. His allowance in the Victoria Hospital was, therefore, fixed at Rs.100/-, or only Rs.25/- more than what he was drawing before. After serving as Resident Medical Officer for a period of three years, that officer, following the practice obtaining in the General Hospital, Madras, requested to be relieved of that charge. The then authorities, however, thought it fit to keep him in the place

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From

THE SENIOR SURGEON
WITH THE GOVT. OF MYSORE,
Bangalore.

To

THE SECRETARY
TO THE GOVT. OF MYSORE,
G. & R. DEPTTS., BANGALORE.

Dated

Despatched 2/2/14

Received

General No. G. 315
No.

Enclosure No. /

SUBJECT.

Forwarding letter dated 27-1-14 from Lt. Col Foulkes, recommending that the Local allowance sanctioned to the Resident Medical Officer of the Genl Hospital Mysore be raised to Rs 100/-.

and in order to make it more attractive to him and also to compensate him for the loss of private practice, raised his allowance to Rs.200/-. Finally in 1905 when, by the appointment of Mr. T.V.Arumugam as Medical Officer in charge, the place of Resident Medical Officer fell vacant, Mr. C.A.Nanjappa who succeeded thereto, was allowed to draw the local allowance of Rs.200/- as a matter of course, although he was then only an Assistant Surgeon, 1st Class, in receipt of a pay of Rs.300/-.

3. In the event of Mr. C.A.Nanjappa vacating the place of Resident Medical Officer, it is my intention to recommend the posting of junior Assistant Surgeons (drawing Rs.100/- or 120/-) to the place by turns, for a period of 2 or 3 years each, and also the reduction of the local allowance considerably - say to Rs.50/-. This arrangement will not only result in some saving to Government but will be advantageous in other ways. It will afford these young officers, under the guidance of an experienced Medical Officer in charge, chances of securing a good grounding in the management of a 1st Class Medical Institution and befit them for the independent charge of District Hospitals. Moreover, these juniors being full of energy and ambition, may be expected to turn out more work than comparatively senior officers whose enthusiasm will have begun to fade.

4. I may add, in concluding, that in the interest of the efficient working of the General Hospital, Mysore, it is necessary that the Resident Medical Officer should be debarred from private practice, which is the rule in force in the Victoria Hospital, Bangalore.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

Senior Surgeon, Mysore Government.

Dyno: 3400
28.1.14.

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Enc to med 134-13-1.

OFFICE OF THE
DURBAR PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON.

No.

Dated 27.1 1914.

Bangalore

FROM Lt.Col.
~~MAJOR~~ T. H. FOULKES, I.M.S.,
Durbar Physician and Surgeon to
H. H the Maharaja of Mysore.

Through the Senior Surgeon.

TO The Secretary General & Revenue Departments.

SIR,

I have the honour to state that in the G.O sanctioning certain improvements for the General Hospital Mysore last year, an allowance of Rs 50 monthly was sanctioned for the R.M.O. I understand the amount was put at this figure as the Diwan said I ~~approved~~ agreed to it. This was evidently a misapprehension. In my original proposal I asked for Rs 100 and in my interview with the Diwan on the subject I emphasized the point & stated I considered it the most important of my proposals. The reasons were that the work, as regards numbers of patients, is not much less than that of the R.M.O. Victoria Hospital (who gets Rs 200) and that he is handicapped compared with him by the fact, that he has no steward to help with the diet sheets etc, he has no properly organised nursing staff to give trained assistance in the supervision of and attention to the more serious cases, and he has only a poorly paid clerk.

Under these circumstances I think Rs 100 is a very reasonable amount to ask for and I request that Government will be pleased to reconsider the point in this light.

I have the honour to be
Sir
your most obedient Servant

Lt.Col. IMS

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Date of issue 11.6.14

Signed by Mr a. V. Ramanathan

Declining to Sanction the increase of the allowance to the R.M.O, Genl Hospl, Mysore from Rs 50 to Rs 100 a month.

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Proceedings of the Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore

READ—

Letter No. C 315 of the 2nd Feb/14 from the Senior Surgeon submitting for orders with his remarks the letter of the 27th January/14 from Lt. Col. J. H. Jaekes Director Physician and Surgeon in charge of the General Hospital, Mysore recommending that, for reasons stated, the allowance of Rs 50 per mensem Sanctioned to the Resident

over.

ORDER THEREON.—No.

SUBJECT.

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Medical officer of the General Hospl,
Nagpore in G.O. No: 3072-3 and the
Med 80-12-3 3
30th August/13 may be increased to
Rs 100 per mensem.

Order Hereon: 1241 Med 134-13-2 9/11.6.14

Govt consider that an allowance of
Rs 50 per mensem for the Resident
Medl officer of the General Hospl,
Nagpore is ~~not~~ quite adequate considering
that the officer has also been provided
with free quarters.

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Dictd 29/5
Am 29/5 Offg Secretary
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To the Senior Surgeon.

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28.5.14